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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

1. Applicant has submitted new claims 55 and 56 but has failed to supply a supplemental reissue oath/declaration.

MPEP 1414.01 [R-2] Supplemental Reissue Oath/ Declaration

If additional defects or errors are corrected in the reissue after the filing of the application and the original reissue oath or declaration, a supplemental reissue oath/declaration must be filed, unless all additional errors corrected are spelling, grammar, typographical, editorial or clerical errors which are not errors under 35 U.S.C. 251 (see MPEP § 1402). In other words, a supplemental oath/declaration is required where any "error" under 35 U.S.C. 251 has been corrected and the error was not identified in the original reissue oath/declaration.

The supplemental reissue oath/declaration must state that every error which was corrected in the reissue application not covered by the prior oath(s)/declaration(s) submitted in the application arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicant.

2. Applicant has failed to provide an explanation of the support in the disclosure of the patent for the changes made to the claims. Note newly submitted claims 55 and 56.

37 CFR 1.173. Reissue specification, drawings, and amendments.

(b) Making amendments in a reissue application. An amendment in a reissue application is made either by physically incorporating the changes into the specification when the application is filed, or by a separate amendment paper. If amendment is made by incorporation, markings pursuant to paragraph (d) of this section must be used. If amendment is made by an amendment paper, the paper must direct that specified changes be made.

(c) Status of claims and support for claim changes. Whenever there is an amendment to the claims pursuant to paragraph (b) of this section, there must also be supplied, on pages separate from the pages containing the changes, the status (i.e., pending or

canceled), as of the date of the amendment, of all patent claims and of all added claims, and an explanation of the support in the disclosure of the patent for the changes made to the claims.

3. Additionally, applicant should disregard any notices directed to 37 CFR 1.121, which does not apply to reissue applications. If applicant should receive such a notice, applicant should immediately contact the examiner of record. Reissue applications are amended in accordance with 37 CFR 1.173 and not 37 CFR 1.121.

4. The reply filed on March 7, 2005 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): see above. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

5. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Debra S Meislin whose telephone number is 571 272-4487. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F, alt. Fridays off.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Joseph Hail can be reached on 571 272-4485. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Debra S. Meislin', with a long, sweeping horizontal line extending to the right.

Debra S Meislin
Primary Examiner
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May 16, 2005